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1950 REVENUE, PRODUCTION SOAR OVER 1949

EXPECTED NATIONAL INCOME ALMOST 250 BILLION DINARS -- Ljudska Pravica, No 50/II, 28 Feb 50, and RAD, No 63, 15 Mar 50

Maribor, 27 February -- In his pre-election speech, Edvard Kardelj, Vice Premier of Yugoslavia, stated that the Yugoslav national income in dinars in 1947 was 132,905,000,000, in 1948, 189,725,000,000, in 1949, 227,691 000,000 and in 1950 was anticipated to reach 245,870.000,000

By the end of 1950, the national income will be almost twice as great as in 1947.

The increase in revenue from industry, as compared to agriculture, since 1947, can be seen from the following table:

1947

1948

1949

1950

Industry

42.620,000,000 64.981,000,000 84,878,000,000 93,606,000,000 = 100% or 152.5%

or 199.1%

or 219.6%

Agriculture

53,555,000,000 72,189,000,000 79,511,000,000 81,851,000,000 = 100 %

or 134.8%

or 148.5%

or 152.8%

The following table shows the production increase per consumer in 1949 as compared to 1939:

<u>Item</u>	Unit	<u>1939</u>	1949	
Power Coal Petroleum Iron ore Steel	Kwh Kg	69 383	133.4 _755.5 _	
	Kg Kg Kg	0.06 38.7 15	<u>/</u> or 775. <u>5</u> 7 3.9 52.1 24.9	
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The following table shows the value of construction in Yugoslavia during the period prior to the war and in 1950:

Year	Construction in dinars	Percentage	
Prewar period	13,000,000,000	100	
1946 1947 1948 1949 plan for 1950	17,200,000,000 26,000,000,000 33,800,000,000 40,500,000,000 45,700,000,000	132 200 260 311 351	

This means that during 1949 Yugoslavia constructed as much as in 3 prewar years.

In 1949, five times more refined lead and three times more sulfuric acid was produced per consumer than in 1939.

INDUSTRIAL, AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT UP - Slovenski Porocevalec, No 68, 20 Mar 50

Celje, 19 March - Today, Franc Leskosek, Minister of Heavy Industry in the federal government, announced that Yugoslavia produced 12,100,000 tons of coal in 1949, as compared to 6 million in 1939. In 1949, Yugoslavia produced 62,600 tons of petroleum. Prewar investments in construction amounted to 13 billion dinars and 1949 investments amounted to 40,500,000,000 dinars. The 1950 plan calls for 45,700,000,000 dinars for construction investments.

Industrial production in 1947 was 67 percent greater than in 1939; in 1948 it was 157 percent greater, and in 1949, 204 percent greater than in 1939.

Yugoslavia produced 191,159 carloads of wheat in 1946 and 269,800 carloads in 1949; 175,580 carloads of corn in 1946 and 499,200 carloads in 1949; and 17,250 carloads of rice in 1946 and 36,260 carloads in 1949. The production of wheat in Slovenia rose from 5,268 carloads in 1946 to 6,827 carloads /In 19497, and the production of corn rose from 4,892 carloads in 1946 to 6,265 carloads in 1949.

About 900,000 people from rural areas moved to cities or factories and mines from the time of the Liberation to the present.

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